



Discover Kalamazoo

Children's Trust Fund Annual Conference

Co-Sponsored by the Kalamazoo County Child Abuse and Neglect Council

October 8-10, 2006

Kalamazoo, Michigan

Discover Arts, Culture and Entertainment

- 9/30-1/07 Brain: The World Inside Your Head, Kalamazoo Valley Museum. The Brain exhibit helps demystify the body's most essential organ in a hands on and exciting way. T/269-373-7990. www.kalamazoomuseum.org
- 9/22-10/07 42nd Street. One of the longest running shows on Broadway, a musical extravaganza. Th 7:30 pm, Fr-Sa 8 pm, Su 2 pm at the Civic Theatre. T/269-343-1313. www.kazoocivic.com.
- 10/06-10/07 Elton John's AIDA at Miller Auditorium. Winner of four 2000 Tony Awards. Elton John & Tim Rice's AIDA is a musical bursting with contemporary energy that tells of the love triangle between AIDA, a Nubian princess stolen from her country, Amneris, an Egyptian princess, and Radames, the soldier they both love. T/269-387-2300. www.millerauditorium.com
- 10/7-10/8 Olde Tyme Harvest Festival located in Scotts Mill County Park. Features antique tractors, flour mill & black smith demonstrations, arts & crafts, flea market, children's activities and hayrides to the pumpkin patch. Sa 9am-5pm, Su 9 am-3 pm. T/269-626-8503.



Discover Shopping and Dining

Downtown Kalamazoo is known as Central City. Six distinctive districts offer wonderful shopping and dining opportunities. South Westnedge Avenue, featuring Crossroads Mall with more than 100 stores and restaurants, is the regional shopping hub for southwestern Michigan and Northern Indiana. Also, if you love browsing for antiques, there are a plethora of shops and antique malls in Kalamazoo and the surrounding area.

Kalamazoo is a haven for golfers with acres of scenic courses and twelve hours of sunshine that allow for a round of golf after a day of activities.



Discover Attractions

- Air Zoo
- Kalamazoo Nature Center
- Kalamazoo Valley Museum
- Kalamazoo Institute of Arts
- Gilmore Car Museum
- Four wineries and three breweries
- Renovated, vibrant Art Deco downtown with nightlife
- Broadway productions, concerts and 10 live performing theaters
- 22 golf courses
- 83 lakes with public access
- Three ski resorts, ice skating rinks, and toboggan runs



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